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The Nativity—Drawing By Jean Spence.

## Sunset School Presents Nativity Play Tonight

A cast of more than 40 students participating, a Nativity play will be presented this evening at the Sunset school auditorium.

For the past few weeks, constant rehearsals have been held and the performance tonight is expected to eclipse any similar production ever staged by grammar school pupils. So successful was the Nativity play given last year that Principal O. W. Barderson urged that the performance be repeated.

While the play will be the same as the previous year, the performance will be considerably more finished. Both the services of Edward G. Kuster and Lita Bathen will add much this year to the quality of the production.

Miss Madeline M. Currey will have the entire direction of the play. In obtaining and de-

signing some of the costumes, many mothers and members of the P. T. A. have assisted Miss Currey.

Admission to the production will be free. The play will start at 7:30 o'clock and those contemplating attending are urged to be in their seats before that hour. Doors to the auditorium will be closed immediately after the curtain rises.

The leading roles will be taken by Gerry Thienes as the Angel; Charles Eddy as the man with a bag of grain; Spencer Kern as the man with a bag of gold; Katherine Beaton as the girl with a bowl of flowers; Bob Farley as the boy with a lamb; Jean Spence as Mary; John Sheridan as Joseph; Harry Nelson, Hugh Smith and Earl Dorrance as the three shepherds and George Villepando,

signing some of the costumes, many mothers and members of the P. T. A. have assisted Miss Currey.

Edgar Leslie, and Raymond Brownell as the three wise men.

The orchestra is violin, David Hagemeyer; Flute, Danny Lockwood, Lee Walker; Zylphone, Will Van Ness.

Other pupils who are participating in the production include: Dorothy Woodward, Catherine Littlefield, Grete Schuyler, Patricia Thompson, Joan Bayley, Patricia Hanes, Joyce Uzzell, Mary Jane Millis, Edith Castro, Barbara Haasis, Etta Castro, Homer Levinson, Gordon Bain, Raymond Brown, Max Hagemeyer, Houston Hannon, Paul Nye, Edward Ballam, and Patrick Crichton.

### OLD LANDMARK MAKES WAY FOR PROGRESS

No more will Carmel poets, writers and artists, lost in their own meditations, bump their heads while walking on Ocean avenue; no more will they collide into one of the village's most historic landmarks.

The two poles in the middle of the sidewalk that have for years supported the balcony of Louis Slevin's building have come down! Progress has eaten them away. They disappeared from sight Wednesday morning.

What led Slevin to take this action can be traced to a meeting last week of the city council when Mayor Herbert Heron said he had received numerous complaints of persons bumping into the poles.

The supporting poles on Slevin's building have been there, even before the streets were paved. Newcomers, when Slevin was postmaster, identified the postoffice by the two poles. They made history; but, alas, they are now dead and gone.

Mrs. E. M. Goss and her daughter, Miss Georgia, of San Jose are spending ten days in their cottage on Camino Real.

## Final Rites Are Held For Carmel Pioneer

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Pacific Grove for William T. Dummage, one of Carmel's pioneer residents and among the first to invest in property here. Dummage had been ill for several months and was recently operated on at the Carmel hospital. He rallied from the operation and for a while showed continued improvement in his condition. The middle of last week he began to grow worse and on Saturday night the end came quietly with his wife at his bedside.

As far back as in 1890, Dummage invested in Carmel property but it was not until eight years later that he came here to permanently settle. Dummage village that it was to its present size. Dummage was the founder

of the first plumbing establishment in the village and the plumbing in practically all of Carmel's early homes was laid by him. He operated his plumbing business until 1923 when he retired. For a number of years after his retirement he was sanitary inspector and a member of the sanitary board.

Dummage was born in San Francisco and was 76 years of age at the time of his death. In addition to his widow, Mrs. Mary L. Dummage, he is survived by a step-son, Robert A. Norton of Carmel and a step-daughter, Mrs. George Linsley of Oakland.

The funeral services were held at the Paul Mortuary in Pacific Grove with many of his Carmel friends present. The interment was at the Monterey protestant cemetery.

## Pelican Prevented From Flying by Overweight

A very strange bird is the pelican, His mouth holds more than his belly can; He can take in his beak Food enough for a week— And I don't see how the hell he can.

The mystery of the pelican has been solved. It is not a wound, nor a fractured wing that has prevented the wild sea animal from flying back into its native habitat. It is only history repeating itself. Well fed without the necessity of going

after its food, the pelican, like the Romans, has fallen into the state of satisfaction.

Catching wild pelicans sometimes puts people into embarrassing positions. When recently, Frank Hammond, a former stage actor released from the clutches of a dog the pelican, he brought it home with him.

Here for the last three weeks, the pelican has been leading the life of Riley. Twice Hammond has taken it out on the beach, but it has refused to fly away. Each time it returned into the arms of Hammond. Last Satur-





day, Hammond had to leave for Hollywood.

To take the pelican with him was impossible. People in Hollywood don't appreciate pelicans and anyway, it could not have been taken safely in the back of the car. And furthermore, what hotel clerk would have allowed them to take it into their room?

Hammond was in desperation. The pelican steadfastly refused to abandon his newly acquired master. Finally, Hammond learned of a Carmel author. Would he like to take over the controlling interest in the pet?

The author went out, took a look at the pelican and brought it back home with him. The first day, the pelican apparently didn't like the change, for he refused to eat. Hammond just before leaving went over to say

goodby and the pelican gave such an exhibition that Hammond left with tears in his eyes.

But it was the author who finally discovered what was wrong with the pelican. Hammond had first advanced the theory that when the pelican had been attacked by the dog, its wing had been injured in some manner.

But, after all, the solution to the mystery was an easy one. Hammond had been feeding the pelican too many sardines. The sardines cause an oil to come into the wings and as a result they become too greasy. In addition to this, the pelican weighs ten pounds more than it should. It has become so fat from the large amount of food it has been getting and the lack of exercise, that it cannot fly.

Showing conclusively that the effects of overweight are both dangerous in animals as in human beings!

#### CHRISTMAS SUBSCRIPTIONS

A good many have asked, "Why don't you advertise a subscription to the Pine Cone for a Christmas present?"

Dear Reader, if you had to work that addressograph each week you'd know why. Still, we could list a few more subscribers, and the Pine Cone is \$2 per year—but don't go and tell everybody about it!

For the information of globe-trotters, the Pine Cone maintains offices in Rue Bumpi, Place de Concorde, Paris; also Unter den Linden, Moscow, where the paper is sold for 89 kopecks—what there is left of it when the censor gets through. Residents of Siam, Timbuku,

Shepherd's Bush and other foreign parts should correspond directly with our Carmel (California) office.

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By Thomas Vincent Cator  
Despite the cold night, a good sized audience was present at the Denny-Watrous Gallery last Friday night to hear the song recital by Noel Sullivan, San Francisco bass-baritone.

Mr. Sullivan gave a program This singer possesses a tone

which is good to hear. It is rich in quality, and his "legate" passages are delightfully smooth. Paradoxical as it may seem, his voice has volume without power. He does not appear to have a great range, but chooses songs that are well suited to his best registers.

Mr. Sullivan depends upon a fine musical sensitiveness for his effects and his interpretations are those of the artist and thinker. The numbers which I thought he did especially well were "Diane Imptoyable," by Gluck, "Litanei," and "Musensohn," by Schubert, "Complainte," by Bloch, "Prayer to Our Lady," by Ford and "Water Boy," arranged by Robinson. In the latter I thought he expressed himself and the song with splendid effect. He also told the story of the different songs interestingly.

The program was one of unusual musical worth and was presented with distinction. Elizabeth Alexander was, as always, the wonderful accompanist.

#### \$13,500 SPENT IN REPAIRING PINE INN

Work will be completed the middle of this month on the remodelling and renovation of the original part of Pine Inn. Work started shortly after the summer season and includes the placing of new furnishings in the rooms.

The part of Pine Inn now being remodeled and owned by John B. Jordan is probably one of the most historic landmarks in the village. It was constructed from wood from the old Tivoli opera house in San Francisco.

The present work, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$13,000, covers the placing of tile in 17 bathrooms and the installation of modern plumbing equipment.

The stucco now being laid will be completed in time for will be painted the same color guests coming to spend the as the other parts of Pine Inn. Christmas and New Year holidays. According to Jordan, the work days in Carmel.

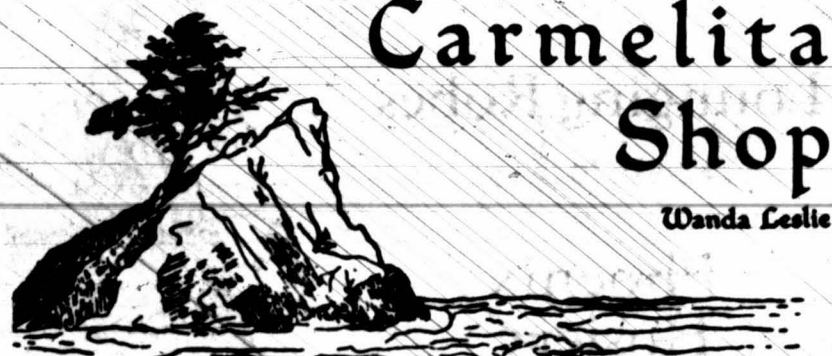
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"Pierrot's Wedding" has a most amusing story, which for children is just one of the age-old stories that never fail to delight, but for adults is a tale of human emotions and fears common to all. The story runs as follows:

Cassandre, the aged father of Columbine, discovers, in his early morning walk, the nest of an ostrich. Thinking himself very smart, he steals an egg for breakfast. On this morning, too, he is to sign the marriage contract giving his daughter to Pierrot, the pastry cook's apprentice. This, in spite of the fact that Columbine and Harlequin are in love with each other. The contract, however, is signed, for the ostrich, enraged over her loss, rushes in, battles with Cassandre, and finally runs off with his wig. This is a disaster, for it is a magic wig; wearing it, Cassandre enjoyed perfect ease—without it, he is immediately afflicted with numerous maladies, such as lumbago, asthma, and gout. Pier-

rot and Harlequin set out to find the wig. Whoever finds it is to have Columbine.

Pierrot in this play is not a nice person at all—most disagreeable. His main fault is gluttony; he is always wanting something to eat. Numerous animals create much excitement in this play. The last scene takes place in the Court of Beasts. Eleven puppets are used for the production. It was first given in July, 1930, before an audience of several hundred students in Wheeler Hall, University of California.

## **GAY YULETIDE AT HOTEL DEL MONTE**

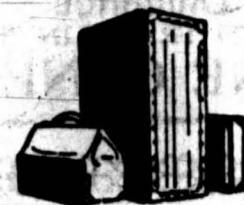
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By Herbert Cerwin

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... O. W. Bardarson, principal of the Sunset School, was for three years assistant physical director of the University of Washington.

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Preston W. Search holds the record in Carmel for length of tenure to a place in "Who's Who." He has been listed among America's great for more than 30 years.

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Miss Elizabeth Chandler once owned the property which takes in the M. J. Murphy lumber yards on Mission, Junipero, Ocean and Seventh.

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Stephen Reynolds, in addition to writing stories for moving picture productions, delivers the films. Reynolds, who has spent many years in Carmel and who is expected back shortly, flew to South America recently with a delivery of films.

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Carmel's first public school was a room in a small building which stood on city block No. 69, Mission and Ocean avenue.

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Rudy Ohm was once, for a time, driver of the Carmel-Monterey stage.

... Sometimes the Pine Cone runs its pictures upside down to give the paper a modernistic touch.

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... Oddly enough we felt the effect of racketeering in Carmel. We have been warned to stop this column or our lives would be at stake. We shall continue with it, that's how much we pay attention to racketeers!

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With the contest closing Monday at midnight, only four more days remain for contributions to be sent in. Contributions postmarked before midnight Monday are eligible, all others will be out of the contest.

The winners will be announced in the big Christmas number of the Pine Cone, a week from today. A competent group of judges has been appointed to select the winning names.

The winner of the first prize, whose name will be used to take the place of the Golden Bough, will be awarded a \$300 season ticket, good for one year for two persons, any night.

As a second award, David J. Bolton, general manager of the Monterey Theater company who has taken over the Golden Bough, will present a one month pass, good for two persons any night during the month. The third prize will be two passes for the opening night.

There are no special rules. Anyone this side of Monterey is eligible to enter the contest. A contributor is allowed to enter three names in the contest, one of which might be the winning one. Each name should be on a separate piece of paper.

The judges will be given a list of the names entered in the contest. The name of the contributor will be unknown to the judges in order to avoid any possible favoritism.

Three weeks ago, the contest was started when it became known that due to a clause in the contract, the name "Golden Bough" would be retained by Edward G. Kuster, the owner of the theater.

Bolton, the new lessee and the Pine Cone, felt that Carmel residents should be given the opportunity to name the theater. Since the beginning of the contest, dozens of contributions have been received.

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been Madame Luboshutz' lot. Madame Luboshutz will be heard at Douglas School on the evening of January ninth under the auspices of the Douglas School and the Carmel Academy of Music. Seats are now on sale at Lial's Music shop.

Among the numbers which Luboshutz will play here, will be the celebrated "Devil's Trill," of Tartini, and the magnificent Tchaikowsky "Concerto." She will also play, for the first time in public, the violin sonata in the Aura-modal Scale by Thomas Vincent Cator.

Just previous to playing in Carmel, Mme. Luboshutz will be the soloist with the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra on January first, and with the Seattle Symphony Orchestra on January fifth and sixth. The artist has a great number of engagements on this trip and we are especially lucky to get her.

This we are able to do because of her fondness for Carmel, where she spent the summer a year ago.

The committee in charge of this concert has made special arrangements with the Bay Rapid Transit company to run a bus holding forty-two people from Carmel to the Douglas School for the recital. The fare will be only 25 cents for the round trip.

### HIGHLANDS GETS NEW STRUCTURE

A residence of rustic English type is being constructed in the Carmel Highlands for Frank De Amaral by Percy Parkes, Carmel contractor. When completed, the house will contain five rooms, a dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a bath. It will cost

around \$5,000. Work on the structure started last month.

Bill Argo of Berkeley was the week end guest of Stuart Marble at his home in Carmel Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Leighton and their two daughters of

Palo Alto spent the week end in their cottage, "The Perch," on San Antonio street.

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is a chorus "of striking qualities and many-sided abilities, with lovely vocal quality, vitality and infinitely appealing shades of tone."

The quality of the afternoon program, at a reduced admission price, will be equal in every respect to that of the evening performance. It has been set for half-past three in order to accommodate high school students and school children.

Rehearsals of "The Queen's Husband" are progressing merrily at the Playhouse, notwithstanding that delays in obtaining a full cast require a postponement from Christmas week, the time of performance originally scheduled. The new dates will be announced next week.

## PLAY POSTPONED

Edward Kuster, director of the Playhouse, reports that it will probably be necessary to substitute another play for "The Queen's Husband," Robert Sherwood's comedy scheduled for three nights. Up to now it has proved impossible to secure locally a full cast for Sherwood's breezy opus, which in all likelihood will be laid on the shelf until next summer. Kuster is translating several other plays, brought by him from Germany and France, and Carmel will no doubt enjoy next summer some first American productions equal in interest to Kuster's "Thrip'ny Opera."

NOTED SCULPTOR  
FOUND STARVING

Carmel friends of Douglas Tilden, internationally known sculptor, were shocked to hear this week of the impoverished condition of the artist who was found last Saturday in his Berkeley studio near starvation.

Neighbors called Berkeley police who found him working on a statue, his studio illuminated with a flickering kerosene lamp. The electricity had been turned off, and they found that he had been borrowing water, a painful at a time, because his water supply had likewise been cut off.

When word of his poverty reached San Francisco, where he was once a member of the Bohemian club, many of his former friends, it was learned, came to his aid. Tilden, who is now 71 years of age, is probably one of the most distinguished sculptors on the coast.

R. E. Overly of Long View, Washington, is a guest at the J. L. Nye home on Casanova in her home on Dolores street last Friday evening.

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rest and fine if they operate their cars after the expiration date without the new plates, unless they can show evidence of having applied. Because many plates will be in transit in the mails after the close of registration motorists will be allowed until January 31 to place them.

"Shop early for license plates" is a sensible rule to observe, suggests the California State Automobile Association, which draws attention to the fact that the state in some years has collected as much as \$250,000 in penalties from car owners who neglected to register within the time fixed by law.

A comparatively simple procedure is involved in registering and obtaining the new orange on black plates for the coming year. The white slip certificate of registration is presented together with the amount of the fee, which is \$3, with a graduated scale of added charges for commercial vehicles according to weight and other features.

Beginning next Monday, the Division of Motor Vehicles in Sacramento will receive applications and deliver the plates by mail. In order to assure delivery and avoid delay and confusion it is important that the white slip bears the correct address. The Automobile Association will conduct a registration service and issue plates at all of its offices in various cities of Northern and Central California. Plates will be issued by the Association for passenger cars only. Applications for commercial vehicles will be received, however, and forwarded to Sacramento.

This service will be rendered by the Association at its head office in San Francisco and thirty-two district offices, including Oakland, Sacramento, Fresno, Stockton, San Jose, Eureka, Auburn, Chico, Hanford, Hollister, Madera, Martinez, Marysville, Merced, Modesto, Monterey, Napa, Palo Alto, Placerville, Red Bluffs, Redding, Salinas, San Mateo, San Rafael, Santa Rosa, Santa Cruz, Susanville, Ukiah, Vallejo, Willows, Woodland and Yreka.

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change in legal ownership is to be recorded, both pink and white slips are presented and an additional fee of one dollar is charged.

After several months of interesting educational work in the East, Professor Preston W. Search is again in his home on Thirteenth street. He came by way of the Panama Canal.

Mrs. Everett Littlefield and Jim Hopper, a student at the University of California, is staying several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hopper, in their home in 80 Acres. Littlefield's parents in Reno, Nevada.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Foster of Carmel have announced the engagement of their daughter Jane Elizabeth to Mr. Louis H. Cahen of this city. Miss Foster is a graduate of Miss Head's School and is active in the younger set on the Monterey peninsula. She has taken an important part in a number of the amateur theatricals for which Carmel is famous. Mr. Cahen is the son of Mrs. I. W. Cahen and is in business in San Francisco. He is a veteran of the World War, an active yachtsman, and a member of the Argonaut and San Francisco Yacht Clubs.

The parents of the bride to be are quite active in Carmel civic and social affairs. Mr. Foster is a director in the Forest Theater society and also leader of the Carmel Glee Club. Mrs. Foster is a valued worker in the Girl Scout organization here. Miss Foster and Mr. Cahen are planning an early nineteen thirty-one wedding.

**MASONIC CLUB MEETS**

At the annual election of the Masonic Club the following officers were elected. George L. Wood president, Grant Willis vice president, F. O. Robbins, secretary, Barnet Segal treasurer. These with Chas. A. Watson, Morris McK. Wild and Arthur E. Webb form the board of directors. The monthly report was read and showed the Club to be in splendid condition.

**FIREMEN TO HAVE  
HOT TIME MONDAY**

Carmel firemen will have a "hot time" Monday night when they are guests of the Monterey fire department at a dinner and entertainment to be staged in the Monterey fire house.

Firemen from Pacific Grove will also be guests at the affair which is in the form of an annual event. Part of the entertainment will be furnished by candidates being put through the initiation ceremony of the department. All three departments are scheduled to have candidates for membership initiated.

After a business trip which took them to Reno, Nevada,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richard and their son, Robert Lee, of San Antonio street have returned to their winter home in Colinga.

Mrs. Mary V. Blanchard, Mrs. Harry Ostrander and Mrs. Lillian K. Purdy have returned from a several days' visit in the bay cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sowell and have returned from Piedmont and Berkeley, where they went to spend several days with friends.



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## EDITORIAL

GOODBYE, MY CENTURY.  
GOODBYE!

It is rumored that 100 of Carmel's leading citizens are about to engage in a romantic avocation—the grocery business! Each is to pay in \$100, and draw out 1% a month—while the money lasts. Somebody gets a job, some wholesaler or manufacturer sells some groceries, somebody rents a store, gets printing and advertising—and all buy groceries.

One can picture Carmel's hard working bargaining bargain-selling grocers, and representatives of the Peninsula's half dozen national chain stores grown gray in the business, standing around learning the grocery business. For when our quiet little residence town goes in for business in dead earnest, just watch our smoke! Should the experiment work, who knows, it might prove a first step in genuine communism. If we can sell ourselves groceries, why not publish our own newspaper, make our own automobiles, sell ourselves shirts, houses—why pay anybody anything! Of course there's a reason why, but it has to be learned over again by experience every so often—at \$100 a lesson. Oh, we're not immune—our hundred has gone a couple of times in a long life—and there's always the hope that this particular time it's going to work. Unfortunately all that glitters on paper is not money in the bank.

Coming back to groceries, we know one proprietor on the Peninsula who drives a truck right out in the farmer's field, loads up on vegetables, and sells 'em so low, bargain hunters have protested they were "looking for bargains—not charity." We know a resident of Carmel who offered a truck gardener 50c for some cabbages. The farmer filled up the back of the sedan till it looked like a market truck. The driver spent the rest of the day giving cabbages away to his friends—and two weeks trying to get the smell out of his car. A \$2 car-wash made no impression.

Another Carmel bargain hunter drives ten miles to buy eggs from a poultry farm and sells them to her friends at cost, without counting gasoline, tire and car expense. Bad accounts she charges to "profit and loss." We know another who lives out near the Highlands who orders her grocer to deliver two eggs (nothing else) and has 'em charged. If Carmel's proposed co-operative grocery can show up our grocers and chain stores, and offer our bargain hunters one better they will be making a record probably unequalled in the history of the world. Then, no retailer will be safe—for from groceries to pants, neckties, building lots, drugs, books is but a step.

## PUTTING THEM ON THE SPOT

There is being shown a certain annoyance by artichoke growers around Carmel toward racketeering their product in the eastern markets. The common practice back there, of advancing social progress by pointing one gun at the brains of the customer, while the other gun menaces the producer, is regarded as unethical by our planters along the river bottom.

There is, however, something to be said for racketeering when artichokes are in question. The artichoke is a strange vegetable. It resembles somewhat, in outer

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## TRYST

The ocean's vapour hand  
Curls round the mountain's  
Snow white breast . . .  
Moist rolling mist  
Hushes the forest murmur,  
And the moonlit wind  
Sighs noiselessly as sighs  
A jealous lover,  
Guessing the secret tryst  
Of sea and land . . .

—John Burton

## DILEMMA

Nay, Love, this heart beats ever free;  
You cannot love me bound.  
Love is a tern  
With flight from pole to pole.  
Seek not to cage him;  
A cage will blight his soul,  
And what you hoped of joy  
Will mock your empty hands.  
Ah, you wish to bind me with your kisses?  
To kiss me yours?  
To kiss away this soul's,  
And your, delight?  
Oh, you do not wish to drag me in  
From the trail,  
From the silent, open sunshine on the hills,  
From the strange tuggings of the sea,  
And from the wild, unthwarted goings of this heart—  
Into your arms!  
It cannot be that you should wish  
To win me from the sky.  
Nay, Love, love is a tern  
With the world for his wing—  
And yet, forsooth,  
Terns nest!  
And yet, and yet . . .

—P. Roy Brammell  
in Troubadour

## THERE'S A PLACE IN THE HILLS

There's a place in the hills sweet with pine  
It is breaking my heart to remember,  
'Twould be gray with the dead columbine  
This December.  
And the hillside be soft as a mother,  
Tired body of mine.

Gray lives flashing by me like rain,  
And what is this wisdom they prize!  
Set apart from their knowledge and pain  
I am wise.  
For I know of a place sweet with pine—  
I could find it again.

—Evelyn Wells  
in A Day of Poetry

appearance, an unripe pineapple but is even more difficult of understanding. Thornlike tips to its petals, or sepals, or whatever, prevent any offhand effort at consumption. One may not bite into it, as one does the juicy pears of the same Carmel river valley.

The succulence of the artichoke, like unmined gold, lies deep under the surface, and excavating for it is an art. Even when the toothsome heart of the artichoke is laid bare, there are slivers to stab the gums of the uninitiate. A college course in eating artichokes should include two post-graduate years.

Racketeers of Chicago, and probably of other cities in the east, are seldom college alumni. What they know of the Carmel valley artichoke has been learned by personal acquaintance, or by seeing Al Capone, or other cultured leading racketeers, consume the fruit. To go out and build up a business of active artichoke consumers would require courage and the most advanced racketeering methods.

From our own standpoint, speaking with the interest of the artichoke grower very much at heart, if the east can be educated to eat artichokes by automatic pistols, or even machine guns, we are for it. In a way, it is what might be called an educational advertising campaign. There will be some killings, necessarily, but they will be swift and clean, and not splinters stuck in the throat. What the racketeers have done for milk in New York, and for bootleg booze everywhere, they should be able to repeat, and make Carmel Valley artichokes a household word throughout the east.

## MORE MONEY FOR SANTA

The Better Business Bureau of Boston has just completed a survey of something or other, and announces that your Christmas dollar will buy more than at any holiday season for the past five years.

The Pine Cone has made a survey that proves convincingly that your Christmas dollar, is more illusive or elusive than at any holiday season in the past fifty years. The stock of Santa Claus, incorporated, is going begging at par. Where usually it is oversubscribed in the first few days of the issue, responses this holiday season have been negligible. We blame it partly to the fact that our cut of Santa Claus ran upside down last, week, and partly to the concurrent drive of the Community Chest, which turned pockets and purses in Carmel upside down.

That Santa Claus conflicted with the Chest drive was too bad, but it just had to be. Christmas comes but once a year, and can't be changed in date, and Santa Claus is linked tightly to the 25th of December. Carmel gave till it hurt to the Chest, and is smarting too fiercely to remember the community Christmas tree. But the Christmas tree is going to blaze, bigger and brighter than ever, on Ocean avenue this Yuletide, whether or no. There shall be no disappointment for Carmel's kiddies.

And there are nearly two weeks more before the day of Santa Claus' arrival, plenty of time for some of us to write checks to the order of Santa Claus, address them to the Pine Cone, and drop them in the postoffice. Remember the Boston Better Business Bureau's announcement that your dollar will buy more—



more happiness and more Christmas good will—than ever in five years.

### THAT CHEST DRIVE

The Community Chest has reason to be gratified with the results up to date of its drive. Although it is considerably below the mark set, and there will need to be activity to reach the mark, it is apparent that a hard year is not going to impair the benevolence of the peninsula. Another week or so of soliciting, and the laggards will have been brought in to fill the chest to the lid.

Individual contributions have been smaller, and it has been necessary to see more people than in previous years. The hard-luck story has been longer, and it has taken more of the various committees' time to hear it. The amount set as necessary for the budgets of the agencies was the greatest in the chest's history, and was the maximum limit of the peninsula's ability to give. Altogether, if it requires until the first of the new year to raise the \$25,000, no one need feel dissatisfied.

Carmel has done very well, but is going to do better yet. The drive was finely organized here, and much credit is being given Bernard Rowntree at general headquarters. Always generous, the people of Carmel gave promptly, and except for a few cautious ones, hastened the work of the volunteer canvassers. With the final pick-up, Carmel will have filled its quota.

### FOR THE BEACH CLEAN-UP

The suggestion made in this column last week that the beach get a cleaning has been taken up by a number of loyal Carmelites. One real estate agent has volunteered to furnish the prizes for the Boy and Girl Scouts taking part in the work, and several merchants have offered to add from their stocks enticing articles to speed the kids along.

It needs now some leader, or perhaps several leaders, to organize the project, and plan the thing for its doing. With the proper management, it might be made almost as interesting and exciting as a treasure hunt, or an Easter egg contest.

shrapnel," Metz explained. "Oh," said the doctor, "but sure good marksmen!" Metz added, "there isn't any there now."

"Golly, those Germans are 'but sure good marksmen!'" Metz added.

# Yes

Christmas is coming...and it has a habit of arriving almost before we realize it

So, now is not too early to think of Christmas cards...especially if you want one expressing your own individuality.

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## People Talked About

There is a serial running now in the Peninsula Herald named "Frills," written by Elinor Barry. The story lives up to its name very well, and has as its locale country well known to peninsula readers. One character in the tale is a Boston Bull terrier, and there is something very familiar about this dog to some of us.

Many readers of the serial have felt that the story must have been written in Carmel, though the author's name was unknown here. Then it leaked out that Elinor Barry was the nom de plume of Mrs. W. K. Bassett, nee Dorothea Castelhun, one time associate editor of the Carmel Cymbal.

As Dorothea Castelhun, the young writer lived here several years in the home of Mrs. Daisy Bostick, where were written one or two of her books for girls, the Penelope series. These interesting stories are published under her own name—or rather her maiden name. It was while here that she became acquainted with Jimmie, Mrs. Bostick's Boston terrier, formerly owned by the caricaturist, ene Byrnes. It is this Jimmie that appears as an important character in the novel, "Frills."

At that time, W. K. Bassett ran a lively weekly paper here called the "Cymbal," and Miss Castelhun was part owner and associate editor of it. When its hour was up, Bassett went east, where later he and Miss Castelhun were wed. They live now in Providence, R. I., where Bassett is with one of the newspapers, and Mrs. Bassett continues her literary work, she being a frequent contributor to the "New Yorker."

A year or so ago, David Alberto was in Watsonville Junction at the railroad station, where his train from San Francisco waited for the north bound train from Los Angeles to pass. Stretching himself by a walk on the platform, he saw a woman carelessly start to cross the tracks just as the southern express came in. Alberto made a quick leap, caught the woman,

and shoved her into safety as the engine shrieked by. She was too frightened even to thank him in the minute or two before his train went out, and neither of the two knew the other's name.

A few days ago the woman walked into Iris Alberto's weaving shop on Ocean avenue and began making inquiries of Mrs. Alberto regarding this affair. She said that she had been searching a year to find her rescuer, so that she might thank him. She had followed many vain clues, and it was only a few days before that she had finally learned the name of the man who had saved her life. Where could she see him, and tell him how deeply he deserved her thanks?

David Alberto is now keeping off the streets, and dodging into hiding whenever a strange woman appears. Being thanked is such an embarrassment.

It was in the middle of June in 1915 during the early part of the war. Elliott "Metz" Durham who, occasionally during the daytime, runs a hardware store on Ocean avenue, was in the front fighting with the Canadian army.

The Germans had just completed an offensive and were close to the Canadian trenches. In one of these trenches, Metz and the others waiting for orders were engaged in conversation.

The firing of the Germans continued and shrapnel was flying in every direction. One of them exploded near where Durham was standing and the shrapnel struck him on the right shoulder.

"Those Germans are pretty good marksmen," Metz commented to himself dryly. How true his words were he did not learn until later.

For a short time, Metz and his other companions who survived were out of commission. The shrapnel had caused a large lump to grow on Durham's shoulder. But for this, Metz came out of the hospital in al-

most as good shape as when he went in.

Before long he was back in the thick of the fight. For the next two years, Metz managed to successfully dodge any more ammunition.

On June of 1917, almost the exact day of his previous wounding, he was stationed at a trench near Aixnewlette. Again the Germans were on the offensive and their bullets were spraying around the Canadian soldiers.

Suddenly, Metz felt something cold graze his shoulder. He had been shot near where he had been previously wounded.

Later when he was given medical aid he turned his face and looked at the wound.

"Where's the lump?" he inquired of the doctor.

"Lump?" the doctor asked puzzled.

"I was shot there before by a



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Lon Chaney

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Don't swat that fly. It may be Lon, with a message for you.

Misery and Co., Unlimited.

If we must have one, we yearn for the other—and usually find it, provided the Co. part doesn't shout out us and down our woes. A friend was racing through the dusk to get down here, and all of a sudden his motor gave out thumps and bumps that meant another bearing gone; and

it had been a week of bearings going. Swearing and beating the steering wheel had no quieting effect on the burnt bearing, and only the hope of a speedy free Club towing service glimmered in the night of a lost world.

The feet were started toward a light that might mean a telephone along the deserted highway. Aha—another car stopped around that curve. Maybe he'll take us to a phone—

But no. The car's hood was up. A man was hunched deep inside the hood. But not alone inside the hood. Not with the profanity he was surrounding himself with. Ho, ho! The night grew brighter. Misery had found Company.

Plenty. Even worse than the other. Crankcase smashed clean through, and first rate medium oil had blackened the highway, and after mutual outbursts had been exchanged, two drivers instead of one went for that telephone. Each, in his heart, hoped that on the way a wreck would be found—all wrapped around a pole and the driver breathing his last. No such luck.

Gangway!

This page wants to offer a suggestion for excitement. When the next holiday carnival descends upon our helpless citizens, we respectfully hope that the leaders thereof will be called upon to furnish the climax of the affair, and not leave it to inhabitants who have been blackmailed into helping.

Here's the angle. We have a very fine hill at the top of this village. Let there be a race down town. Speed is the order of the day—on bicycles. Let the riders thereof be the moving spirits of the celebration. Let the end of the race be the water's edge, with China next stop.

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Take your compliments modestly. "Yes," you can say, "I am coughing better." But don't brag about it. And don't take it around and bark at people who are so unfortunate as not to have one of their own. It's ostentatious.

#### Room for Argument

From Studebaker's magazine, The Wheel, comes a crack that's provocative of thought.

"Why take life too seriously?" it asks. "You'll never get out of it alive."

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"God the Preserver of Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon will include the following from the Bible: "For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father" (Rom. 8:14, 15).

The Lesson-Sermon also will include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The enslavement of man is not legitimate. It will cease when man enters into his heritage of freedom, his God-given dominion over the material senses. Mortals will some day assert their freedom in the name of Almighty God. Then they will control their own bodies through the understanding of divine Science" (p. 228).

Fred Strong, clerk in the local postoffice, who has been confined to his home for several days with a severe cold, has resumed his duties at the office.

Mrs. Chas. H. Lowell is spending several weeks with her daughter in Oakland.

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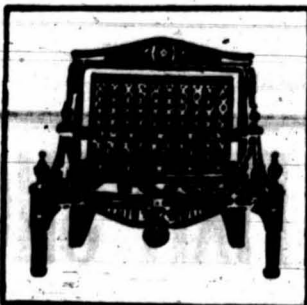
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# THE VILLAGE NEWS-REEL

The Monterey Lodge of Elks, Ross E. Bonham and W. L. Overstreet to take charge of the usual Christmas charity work of the order for this territory. whist parties, upon which occasion favors will be awarded for those holding highest scores.

Miss Dorothy Ledyard of Peter Pan Lodge has returned from a several days' stay in San Francisco.

Paul Mercurio was elected a member of the Monterey Lodge 1085 of Elks at a recent meeting of the order.

Mrs. Harry Ostrander of Seattle is a guest at Pine Inn over the holidays. Mr. Ostrander and children will arrive in Carmel shortly to join Mrs. Ostrander.

Glenn Leidig and his cousin Martin Leidig, who are attending the Corvallis college in Oregon, will arrive in Carmel shortly to spend the holidays with their families.

At last Thursday afternoon's meeting of the Carmel Wimaudais Club, the following ladies were elected to office for the coming year: president, Mrs. R. F. Ohm; vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Nye; secretary, Mrs. J. F. Hancock; treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Warren. Next Thursday will terminate a series of afternoon

Last Friday evening the Parent Teachers' Association gave a dance at Sunset school, which was attended by many of Carmel's prominent citizens. Prizes were offered for the best dancing by that lusty-voiced master of ceremonies, Frank Sheridan. The winners were Mr. and Mrs. John Middlesworth, Mr. O. W. Bardarsin and Miss Mary Wheldon, and Martin DeAmaral and Miss Olla Nichols.

Charles Halsted Yates, for several months an invalid, was over town in his wheel chair for a short time last Monday greeting his many friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. S. S. Earle has returned to her home on San Antonio street after a nine months' visit in the East. She has as her guest Mrs. I. Just of New York, who will stay for a visit before going to Hawaii.

The wittiest woman in San Francisco writes the following in a letter, apropos of friends descending upon one for liquid refreshment: "You cannot serve God and Mamals."

Miss Dorothy Benson, well known Carmel girl, will leave here around the middle of January for Oakland, where she will pursue a three years' nursing course at Fabiola Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gottfried have returned from a five months' stay at the Lee Gottfried ranch near Klamath Falls, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gottfried with their two sons Freer and Hugh will arrive shortly and will spend the holidays in Carmel, returning to their ranch some time in January.

At the meeting of the Monterey Peninsula Realty Board, held at the San Carlos Hotel on Monday last, Mr. Bernard Rowntree of Carmel was elected to the office of secretary-treasurer for the year 1931—in place of Mr. A. W. Files of Monterey, who has held the office for the past four years. Jack Beaumont of Del Monte was elected president in place of Peter Mawdsley, who is retiring after two years in the chair. The mayor of Pacific Grove, Mr. J. P. Pryor was elected vice president.

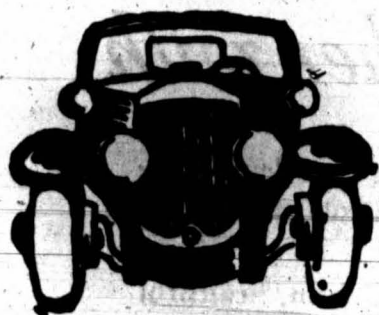
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**MANY TALK AS  
PHONES INCREASE**

Someone is doing considerable talking in Carmel, according to figures released this week by the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company showing that during the last ten months 177 telephones were installed here. And a further glance at the telephone company figures, will disclose that Carmel talked its way into the front lines of prog-

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE  
WHEREAS, W. D. WHITE and**

BESSIE L. WHITE, his wife, heretofore executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust, dated September 20, 1929, to PACIFIC STATES AUXILIARY CORPORATION as Trustee, to secure the payment of a Promissory Note to PACIFIC STATES SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, a corporation, and also all other indebtedness agreed by said Deed of Trust to be secured, which said Deed of Trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Vol. 206 of Official Records, at page 380; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of said Promissory Note according to its terms, PACIFIC STATES SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY, the owner and holder of said Note and Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust, recorded on September 3, 1930, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Vol. 256 of Official Records, at page 358, a notice of breach and of its election to cause all of the property under said Deed of Trust to be sold to satisfy the obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, more than three months have elapsed since said recording of said notice of breach and election to sell, and said PACIFIC STATES SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY has demanded that the undersigned, as Trustee, sell the property included in said Deed of Trust, pursuant to the terms thereof and the provisions of the law;

WHEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to said demand and the terms of said Deed of Trust, that the undersigned, as Trustee thereunder will, on Friday, the second day of January, 1931, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at Colton Hall, on the west side of Pacific Street, between Madison and Jefferson Streets, in the City of Monterey, State of California, sell without warranty, at public auction, to the highest cash bidder, as an entirety, all of the property covered by said Deed of Trust. The property herein referred to and which will be so offered for sale is described as follows:

All that certain real property sit-

uate, lying and being in the City of Carmel, County of Monterey, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

Lot Fourteen (14) in Block Fifteen (15) as shown and delineated on the "Map of Carmel City, Monterey County, Cal., surveyed by W. C. Little April 1888", filed May 1, 1888, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, and now on file and of record in said office in Map Book One, Cities and Towns, at page 52 therein.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash, United States Gold Coin, payable at time of sale.

DATED: December 6, 1930.

PACIFIC STATES AUXILIARY CORPORATION  
Trustee  
JOHN L. MACE  
Attorney at Law  
745 Market Street, San Francisco.  
By HAROLD ROPERS, Asst. Sec.  
Date of 1st Publication, Dec. 12.  
Date of last Publication, Dec. 26.

**SUMMONS IN ACTION  
TO QUIET TITLE**

No. 12275

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF  
THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN  
AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
MONTEREY.

CONSTANCE S. LOWELL, Plaintiff, Vs. GEORGE H. ROBINSON and all persons unknown, claiming any right, title or interest in the complaint herein, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or claiming any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants. ACTION BROUGHT IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY, AND COMPLAINT FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF SAID MONTEREY COUNTY.

John Milton Thompson, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

George H. Robinson, also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Monterey, within ten days after the service upon you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgement against you for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

THE OBJECT of said action is to quiet title of plaintiff to the premises and real estate in the complaint in said action and hereinafter described, and to determine all and every claim, estate, lien or interest therein of the said defendants, and of each of them, that it be declared and adjudged by decree of said court that the defendants, and that each and all of them, have no estate, right, title, claim or interest whatever in or to said lands, nor in or to any part thereof or any lien thereon; and that the title of the plaintiff thereto is good and valid, and that the defendants and each and all of them be forever estopped and barred, by said decree, from asserting any right, title, estate, claim or interest whatsoever, in or to said land and premises, or in or to any part thereof, adverse to plaintiff and for such other relief as to said court shall seem meet and agreeable to equity.

The real property affected by said action is as follows:

Lots nine (9) and eleven (11) in Block forty-six, as shown on "Map of Carmel City, Monterey County, Cal., Surveyed by W. C. Little, April, 1888", filed May 1, 1888, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Map Book One, Cities and Towns, at page 52 therein.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, In and For the County of Monterey, this 29th day of September, 1930.

C. F. JOY  
By EDNA E. THORNE  
Deputy  
(Court Seal)  
1st date of Publication, October 10.  
Last date of Publication, Dec. 12, 1930.

(SEAL)



# Kidnapped Child at Holman's

"Deer Sanda Klaw: I vud like fur Krismas sum nize toys—az many az yu kan, Sanda;—sum tinkertoys, log kabins, areplanes, dolls, ottos, kowboy und Indian soots, sale boats, steemrollers, gulf sets, doll houses, furnitures, air rifles, electrig tranes, backgammin, soldiers, sailors, kannons, huming tops, tennis rakits, jigg saw puzzls, tedy bares, elefunts, klowns, steemshuvle—as many az yu kan send—yu kan't send too many! Mary Krismas, Sanda Klaw—bring a truk und drive to the back door.

(Signed) Izzy Kohen, San Carlos und Lincoln, Carmel."

"Humph!" grunted Archibald Baxter, when he had finished reading the above. "That kid don't want much—"

Among others Archibald had been selected by the Elks to answer letters addressed to Santa Claus. He was told to see that the youngsters got what they wanted, and as Archibald was a soldier, he always did just as he was told. A brief investigation satisfied him that there was only one store in the County that could fill Izzy Kohen's order. So he presented himself at Holman's.

"Is that boy going into the toy business?" asked Mrs. Mary Allen, when she had read the letter.

"Looks that way, don't it? Do you think Holman's can supply him?" he asked, giving the department manager an appraising look.

Mrs. Allen smiled. "Take a stroll through our 'Magic Acre of Toys' and tell me what you think—"

Archibald wasn't gone long. "Holman could fill an order ten times the size of this and not even know he was doing it!" he admitted. "It's a good thing Izzy didn't visit Holman's before he wrote his letter—he'd have bankrupted the Elks—"

"Oh, I guess not! How much do you think this comes to?"

"\$150 at least—"

"It's easy to see you're not familiar with Holman's low prices. Your bill is \$64.17, and each one of those toys is strong and honestly built to stand the strain of childish play—"

"Thanks to Holman's the Elks are getting off easy," said Archibald. "Have the order wrapped and hold it. I want to see where it's going first."

Twenty minutes later Archibald stood on the doorstep of a board and bat cabin fitted with a crude store front. No one answered his knock, so he walked around to the rear. The only one in sight was a child about seven years old.

"Are you Izzy Kohen?" asked Archibald.

The child looked up from his play.

"Ja—dot's my name—"

"Santa Claus gave me your letter and asked me to come and see you—"

"My pappy says ve don' believe in Krismas—"

"Oh, ho! Then why ask Santa Claus for presents?"

"My pappy's goin' in the toy business—un' tole me what to write so Santa Claus 'ud send 'im sum toys to sell in his store—"

"I see!"

Archibald turned away. What was he to do? The toys were bought and must be given away. By a lucky chance he fell in with Elliott Durham, who plays Santa Claus to the children of Carmel. When the toys were distributed the day before Christmas the Kohens received no presents. The sight of Izzy's sorrowful face touched a tender spot in Archibald. After all it wasn't the boy's fault if his father tried to use him to his profit. He determined to square things with Izzy.

Watching his chance he beckoned the child to his side, and led him around the corner. Promising him a jolly ride, he lifted him into the car and drove rapidly to Holman's in Pacific Grove. He led him upstairs to the toy department.

Izzy gave one look. His eyes opened wide. "Got in Himmell!" he murmured, repeating his mother's favorite phrase. And if there's a special Heaven for children, surely, it must be like Holman's "Magic Acre of Toys." Too happy for words the little fellow trailed up and down the aisles clinging to his protector's hand. Frequently they paused to look. Archibald's wink to Mrs. Allen brought her to his side. Tactfully she drew out the little chap to discover his favorite toys. At a nod from Archibald she gathered them and placed them in a bag. "Merry Christmas!" she said, as she handed it to the child.

They were on their way to Izzy's home. As the car slowed up in front of the little cabin two excited parents leaped upon the running board. The mother grabbed her boy. The father shook his fist in the stranger's face.

"Kidnapper!" he shouted. "I'll have you put in jail for this—stealing honest people's children—"

"Honest!" exclaimed Archibald—"after this, Kohen, I advise you to let Izzy write his own letters to Santa Claus—"

"I—I didn't mean no harm—mister—honest I didn't—"

"Oh—oh—look pappy what I got!" cried Izzy, holding up the bag. The boy's face beamed with joy as he spread out the toys for his parents to see. "Thanks!" he remembered to say to his friend.

"That's all right, Izzy—" said Archibald, patting the curly head. "Maybe I'll kidnap you again next year and take you to Holman's—if your parents don't object—"

"Sure—you can kidnap him any time, mister!" said Kohen senior with enthusiasm. As Archibald drove away he called after him—"You can do it tomorrow!"

Moral: ARCHIBALD AND IZZY ARE ONLY TWO OUT OF THOUSANDS WHO KNOW

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